Andrew Moo Sciambra phoned me this morning in response to my letter 4/21/91

He had a friend who has a part in Oliver Stone's movie so he has and reflected a detailed knowledge of the script. I think he read or has a copy of the shooting script. Agrees that Garrison's book and the movie are fiction. He declined to be in it. Stone approached him a number of times and he did not respond. A friend persuaded him to and he asked Stone "What are you trying to accomplish...Keystone Kops...?" He said he told Stone he was tired of people going down there and then writing what made them look like fools. Stone assured him he "had no such thing in mind." (Maybe the friend's daughter has a role in the movie. Moo knows he is replaced by a woman in it.)

Moo has for some years been a criminal magistrate with a small law practice. His address is 6151 Pratt Drive, New Orleans 70122. Ivon quit the police force and is in politics, a state representative. Same address.

He says people down there think Garrison has cancer he has become so thin and drawn. He is not going to be in the movie, not going to play Earl Warren.

He confirms Boxley was not on city payroll and says he tried to talk Garrison out of hiring him to begin with. Paid from private funds.

In reminiscing at one point he said "half of what we did was damage control." He also says that Jim listened to all the nuts. When I said that as soon as Jim had an idea it became real that I'd hit it on the head.

He confirms that when Farewell America was being fed to Jim it was in the guise of being information from the KGB.

Jim Alcok was defeated for re-election and moved to Houma, where he practises law.

Doesn't see Garrison very often, maybe once a year. Says that people who go to his office say he spends his time there writing book, that the clerks write his decisions. I suppose he goes over them.

Jim's story on the alleged theft of his files is that Bordelon moved them and instead sold them. Steve is so mad over this he won't even talk to Garrison. Moo and I can't imagine Bordelon doing any such thing and I got the impression he agrees with me that Garrison had to have some excuse for getting rid of all that junk.

He says "they" (I did not ask who this meant) talk of me often, as a hard-working friend "who could write 20 memos" before anyone else is up.

When I said there were many small things Jim could have done that could have begun by destroying the official solution in court he said he and others tried to persuade him of this but that Jim had grandiose ideas, had gotten into more than he understood or could handle and could not figure any way out of it.

On Oscar's part in movie, Oser had almost nothing to do with the investigation. He did handle the medical evidence at the trial and we agreed he did that well.